



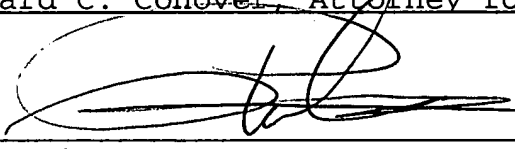
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Thomas L. Tope  
Serial No. : 10/090,412  
Filed : 02/28/2002  
For : COPPER PIPE CLEANING TOOL  
Art Unit : 1744  
Examiner : Graham, Gary K.  
Confirmation : 6182  
Documents : Letter of Transmittal; Part B-Issue Fee  
Transmittal; One (1) page of formal drawings,  
Figs. 1-4; Credit Card Payment Form in the  
amount of \$695.00; and postcard.

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Applicant is enclosing herewith the following documents:

- 1) Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal with Certificate of Mailing for Issue Fee;
- 2) One (1) page of formal drawings, Figs. 1-4;
- 3) Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$695.00 to cover the issue fee (for a small entity) and advance copies; and
- 4) Certificate of Express Mailing.

Dated: 3/1/04

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Respectfully submitted,

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